

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please cancel the Abstract section of the specification and replace it with the following which merely omits the reference numbers:

An open air system for an automotive vehicle includes a roof panel, which can be retracted to a stowed position below a storage compartment cover. In another aspect of the present invention, two or more generally rigid roof panels are movable from above a passenger compartment to below a generally horizontal plane. A further aspect of the present invention provides a back window, which can be raised and lowered.